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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 13 October 2003 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

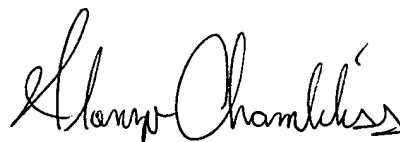
- a) ☐ entered.
- b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.

e) ☒ entered in part. See explanation below.

*The amendment to the specification is approved by the examiner. However, the amendment to the claims are not approved by the examiner because in claim 24 the deletion of the phrase "are all " to " are " changes the scope of the claim. The IDS filed on 10/13/03 has been signed by the examiner and fails to read on the claims of the instant application.*



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